



The best Carnival party in Aruba was enjoyed by the “clients” of the SVGA

The ballroom of the Renaissance Convention center was filled with beautiful carnival queens and handsome Princes and Panchos on Friday as the management of the Renaissance and Meta Corp, N.V. again hosted the “clients” and their caregivers of the Stichting Voor Verstandelijk Gehandicapten Aruba, (SVGA) for their annual Carnival Party. It is an annual tradition for the resort to donate their facilities, including a lovely lunch and beverages for this annual outing of the children and adults that are under the care of Aruba’s Foundation for the Mentally Disabled.

No Carnival group could show more spirit than the 250 that danced “with their hands in the air” to the music of the popular local band BMW, whose members also donated their time and energy to seeing that everyone had the best time ever. The SVGA administrates over several facilities that care for Aruba’s mentally challenged, each one geared to particular age groups and capabilities. Each care center had elected their own Carnival Queen and Princes and Panchos, as all the “clients” are thrilled with these carnival rituals, as they also love to dance with complete abandon to the great carnival music that BMW does so well. It is also a tradition and a pleasure for the band to share their time with the charges of the SVGA for this gala event, and the dance floor was filled for the entire afternoon.

SVGA Director Tuyo Werleman along with Director of Volunteers Netty Williams also love to share this day with their “kids” and they expressed their gratitude to the BMW band and Meta Corp, N.V. for their generosity and spirit in providing this wonderful day, one of several that the resort center hosts for them during the year.